HOW WELL

How well do you know Winchester?

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Photo by Frank Siteman

Latest in the series. Retired photographer Frank Siteman has taken photos of places downtown, and your job is to guess where they were taken.

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If you know the answer, **send an email to editor@winchesternews.org** and put **How well** in the subject line.

Last time we had several winners. Michael Arwe, Michelle Prior, Laurie Russell, Marcie Troisi and Elisabeth Westner guessed it's the façade of the Winchester Community Music School .

WCMS Director Laurie Russell wrote in her reply, "The photo is of one of the front entrance columns looking up to the teaching studios on the second floor. The teaching studio in the photo is now teaching studio number 1, used primarily for teaching piano lessons and coaching chamber ensembles. It once was a lovely bedroom, decorated for a little girl. WCMS is the seventh owner of the property at 407 Highland Ave. The most notable owner (before WCMS) was the family of actor and singer Frank Fontaine who regularly appeared on the Jackie Gleason Show and was an entertainer who toured nationally and appeared on several television variety shows from the 1940s-1960s."

See last week's to refresh your memory.

A graduate of Tufts, Frank has taught photography at many institutions and traveled the world to take photos for various publications. His yard on Pond Street backs up to Horn Pond and he frequently displays nature photos on the Facebook Friends of Horn Pond group. Check him out at https://franksiteman.com/work.

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This column will take a break for a while. Apparently you know Winchester very well, and nobody is guessing any more. See last week's photo to refresh your memory. Nobody guessed that it was a photo of a lamp inside China Sky.

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If you know the answer, send an email to editor@winchesternews.org and put How well in the subject line. See last week's photo to refresh your memory. Last week, nobody guessed that Mike Arwe's photo was a mailbox in back of Lucia. Winchester News is a non-profit

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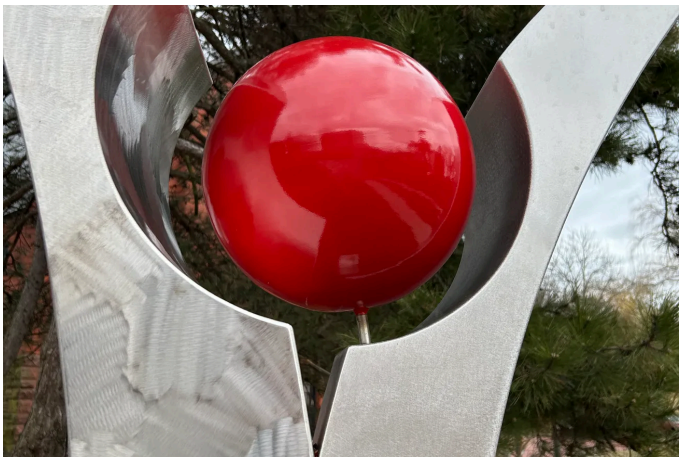
Once again, we're using a photo by Mike Arwe. Mike is the grand champion of How well, identifying almost every photo since this column started. If you know the answer, send an email



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Celebrate Women's History Month with Girls Leading Change

The following was submitted by the Network for Social Justice: To mark Women's History Month and International Women's Day in 2026, the Network for Social Justice is collaborating with club leaders from Winchester High School and members of the Community Health team from La Colaborativa in Chelsea and

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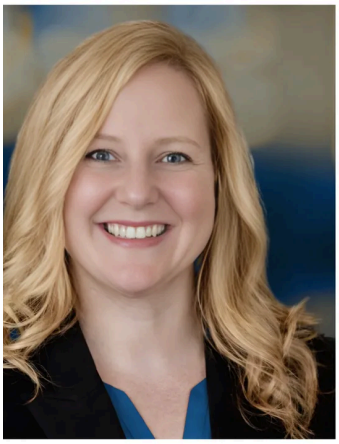

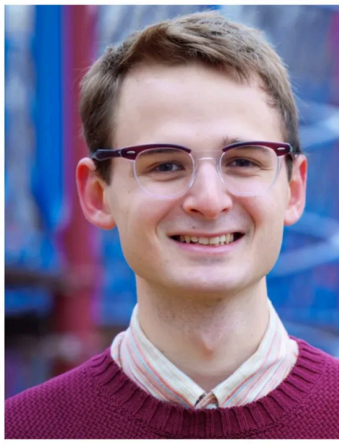

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‘Chicago: Teen Edition’ dances onto the Winchester High School stage

By Talia Ho | Correspondent Fame. Fortune. And all that jazz. This spring, Winchester High School presents “Chicago: Teen Edition,” a bold musical that explores celebrity culture, media manipulation, and the cost of ambition. This iconic production is set in the 1920s. Performances will take place on March 13 and 14

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Ripley Chapel in Winchester presents ‘Syldason: You Are Welcome Here’

The following was submitted by the Ripley Chapel at First Congregational Church: On Friday, March 13, beginning at 7:30 p.m., live in-person and live streamed from the stunning Ripley Chapel at First Congregational Church, Winchester, 21 Church St., join in with Syldason, a duo concert featuring Sylvie Zakarian,

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